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Applicant: PAUL ISADOR d'HOND Examiner: Cartagena, Melvin A.
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Title: DOSING DEVICE ADAPTED FOR DISPENSING A CONCENTRATE
FROM A HOLDER IN A METERED MANNER

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on February 26, 2004.

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

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Dear Sir:

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2003. This is a request for a three month extension of time from November 26, 2003 to February 26, 2004. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$950.00, the required fee for this extension of time.

Please consider this a petition to extend the time to respond if an additional extension of time is deemed necessary by the Office. Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account Number 50-1038 if such additional extension is necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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